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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Purdom  
Application No. : 09/899,646 Confirmation No. :  
Filed : July 6, 2001  
For : BOILER FOR A HARDENED VOYAGE DATA RECORDER  
Group Art Unit : 2831  
Examiner : Carmelo B. Oliva

October 24, 2003

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith:

☐ a Preliminary Amendment;  
☒ a Reply to Final Office Action (§ 1.113(C));  
☐ a Supplemental Amendment; ☐ a substitute Specification;  
☐ a Declaration; ☐ a Supplemental Declaration;  
☐ a Power of Attorney; ☐ Assoc. Power of Attorney;  
☐ formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

☒ A fee for additional claims is not required.

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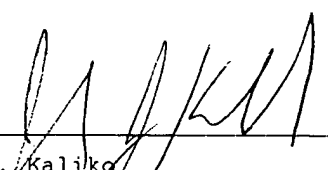
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE		ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	17	117	=	0	X	\$ 18	= \$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	9	=	0	X	\$ 86	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						+ \$ 290	= \$ 0.00
						TOTAL	\$ 0.00

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ in payment of the filing fee is transmitted herewith.
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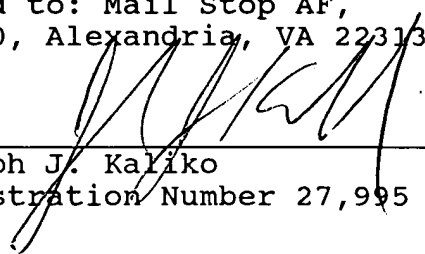
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REPLY AFTER FINAL ACTION

This is a timely reply to a Final Action dated  
September 23, 2003.

REMARKS

Claims 1-141 were originally presented. Claims  
89-111 were previously canceled. Claims 1-88, 112-119 and  
137-141 are withdrawn from further consideration pursuant to  
37 CFR 1.142(b), as being drawn to a non-elected invention,  
there being no generic or linking claim. Applicant timely  
traversed the restriction (election) requirement in Paper  
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